RALEIGH'S NEWSY BUDGET. A Munificent Bequest-Arrested for Stander-Landlords and Croppers-Sudden Death-A

Vonthful Offender-[Special telegram to the Dispatch.] RALEIGH, N. C., November 20.— The most munificent bequests that have been made in this State in many years are contained in the will of Miss Smith, who died near Chapel Hill She devised a plantation which is said to be worth \$15,000 to the trustees of the State University, for the education of such poor boys as the faculty may designate. Other small legacies were bequeathed to her old servants who had remained faithful to her, and the resi due of her estate, valued at about \$30,000, is devised and bequeathed to the trustees of the Protestant Episcopal church in the Diocese of North Carolina. Hon, Kemp P. Beattle is appointed executor of the will.

A young white woman and her brother have been arrested and bound over to court for slandering a young lady in Cabarrus. Several letters were dropped reflecting grossly upon her. Finally a letter was posted on a tree at Organ church. A hundred men bound themselves to ferret out the matter. There was great excitement until the parties were traced.

Bishop J. C. Keener, of New Or-leans, arrived here last night. He will remain here until Monday evening next, when he goes to Charlotte, where he will preside over the North Carolina Conference, which meets there Wednesday. He will preach here Sunday. No opinion which has thus far been delivered by the State Supreme Court is of more importance than that relating to the rights of landlords and croppers. This subject has heretofore been the cause of considerable difficulty. A decision rendered yesterday settles the matter. It is in the case of Thigpen against Leigh, and says every agreement between the owner of lands and a cropper for their cultivation is an entire contract. If the cropper abandons it before completion he cannot recover for partial performance, and his interest becomes vested in the landlord, and the land divested of any lien which may have attached to it for agricultural advances while it was the property of the cropper. Every person who makes advancements of agricultural supplies to tenant or cropper must do so with full knowledge of the rights of the landlord, and the risk of the tenant or cropper abandoning or otherwise violating his contract.

To-day a gentleman of Wilmington. who was here and had urged the claims of D. K. McRae, of Wilmington, for the judgeship made vacant by Judge McCoy's death, received the following telegram from Colonel McRae: " No tify the Governor that I decline further consideration of my name for the judgeship." This is regarded as settling the question of the appointment of Edward T. Boykin.

The committee on water-works appointed by the Board of Aldermen held a meeting last evening and spent several hours in discussing a proposition for supplying the city with water. The committee is carefully considering the source of supply, cost of water for fire purposes, and cost to individual citizens of supplying dwellings with water. The feeling is strongly in favor of water-works, and it is safe to say they will be established here.

One of the most interesting and varied displays of leaf-tobacco is made at the State Museum. Tobacco is shown by various counties in North Carolina, from Wayne to Madison. Tobaccos are shown from Manilla, Phillipine Islands, Esmeralda, United States Columbia, Porto Rico, Algeria, Greece, Arabia, Paraguay, Latakia in Persia, China, Macedonia, Salonica in Turkey, Turkey, Hungary, Java, Germany, Holland, and Japan. For this interesting and well-arranged exhibit the State is indebted to Colonel John Ott, of Richmond. Va.

The Raleigh White Graded School, which the city has just completed at a ost of \$26,000, will be formally open ed on the 30th instant. Speeches will be made by Governor Scales, Major Finger, and other prominent men. E. P. Moses, late superintendent of the Goldsboro' graded schools, is now superintendent of all the five graded schools, white and colored, in Raleigh

Nannie, a little daughter of Martin McSwain, of Stanly, was sick over a year ago. A physician pronounced the disease typhoid fever. Next she was declared to have diphtheria. After a few weeks she lost the power of speech and became wholly paralyzed. For about a year she neither moved or spoke. Death brought relief a few

in a field near Wadesboro' Wednesday, dropped dead at his plow. He was in his usual health, and there was no suspicion that he was sick till the news of his death was carried to his family. A novel sight at the bar of the Federal Court at Asheville this week was a defendant who had reached the age of seven years. It was his first offence, and he had only sold half a pint of liquor.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

FORT WAYNE, IND., November 20. Miss Melissa McClery, a well-known young lady of this city, answered an advertisement two years ago from a gentleman advertising for correspond-ence with a view to matrimony. Correspondence progressed until photographs were exchanged, followed by a matrimonial engagement. Tuesday, Mr. Wilbur Kichards, of Clarksburg, West Virginia, arrived at the res dence of the young lady and in-troduced himself to Miss Mc-Clery as the expectant bridegroom. Hurried arrangements for a wedding were commenced, and yesterday afternoon they were married by the Rev. D. A. Northrup, of the Jefferson-Street Baptist church, and started for their future home, in West Virginia. The gentleman furnished letters of recommendation from prominent men of Vir ginia, among them Senator Mahone. He is editor and proprietor of a newspaper at Clarksburg, W. Va., and was until a few weeks since postmaster at

that place. An Excited Prisoner.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] HUDSON, N. Y., November 20.-The jury in the Beckwith murder case came into court at 9 A. M. to-day with a verdict of guilty of murder in the firs degree. The prisoner arose excitedly and began a tirade against the Free Masons. He was quieted by the court officers. When asked if he had anything to say, the prisoner spoke in an excited tone for twenty-five minutes, and begged the court to allow him to go to some " warm climate" and he would never again open his mouth. Judge Ingalls sentenced him to be hanged on Friday, January 8, 1886.

A Great Grasshopper Visitation. [By telegraph to the Dispatch.] HELENA, ABK., November 20.-

The citizens of Helena were aroused at an early hour yesterday morning by Royal hospital, four in Cote St. Louis, what many of them at first thought to one in St. Jean Baptiste, one in St. be a very heavy rain-storm, but on Cunegende, and one in Cote St. Paul.

looking out they were surprised to see the clear sky filled with what appeared to be snowflakes and not rain that wa pattering with such force against the roofs and windows of the houses. Investigation proved that the air was filled with grasshoppers. The citizens who have seen the dreaded pests sweep down and consume whole fields in Kansas say that in numbers the visitation last night exceeds anything ever seen in that county tenfold. They were passing from the east to the west. numbers were disabled by butting against buildings and other obstructions, as they were flying very low, and the porters and clerks had to shovel them from the sidewalks into the streets. They are the genuine Kansas grasshop

EASTERN-SHORE TRAGEDY.

a Farmer. [Special telegram to the Dispatch.] TASLEY, VA., November 20 .- Intelligence has reached here of a terrible tragedy that occurred last night near Mappburg, in the lower part of Accomack, resulting in the killing of Smith Mears by John Sewell Sturgis. Both men attended the horse-races at Pungoteague yesterday, and returned home under the influence of liquor. On his way kome Mears stopped at Sturgis's store, when the latter began to press him for the payment of a debt. Hot words followed, and Stur-gis threatened to shoot Mears if he did not leave the store at once. Mears, it is said, started to leave, when Sturgis seized a pistol and shot him, just as he was going to the door. Mears was carried to his home, about one half mile distant, by some colored people, who were the only witnesses of the tragedy. He lingered till this morning, when he died. Sturgis was arrested and committed to Accomack iail. He will have a hearing to-morrow. Sturgis is a wealthy merchant and well connected. Mears was a poor farmer, and much sympathy is felt for his family.

A Decision that Affects Harrisonburg

Seriously.
[Special telegram to the Dispatch.] HARRISONBURG, VA., November 20.-By the decision of the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia in Richmond yesterday in the case of Effinger's executor rs. Hall, &c., from Rockingham, affirming the lower court, nearly one fourth of the property in Harrison burg will be thrown upon the market to satisfy the claim of the Hall heirs, ascertained to be five sixteenths of the land and improvements. The property s worth about sixty thousand dollars

Execution in Maine.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] THOMASTON, ME., November 20.-Daniel Wilkinson was hanged here to-day for the murder of Officer William Lawrence, whom he shot when Lawrence attempted to arrest him for bur-Wilkinson is not his name, but that is the one under which he has been tried and convicted, and he reused to reveal his correct name. He walked to the scaffold with a firm step, and stood upon the drop without a by the statute. But I apprehend that tremor. He was clad in black, and this is the first case in which the illegal as arms were bound to his side. As action of such an officer has been the noose was being adjusted he said to the sheriff: "You fellows get \$50 a day for such work." He had nothing further to say, but listened attentively to the service for the dying. At just 12 o'clock the trap was sprung, and he fell a distance of seven feet, dying without a struggle.

Patrous of Husbandry and the Tariff. BOSTON, November 20 .- At the argued by the Solicitor, however, that morning session of the Patrons of Hus- formal approval by the Secretary of bandry L. R. Rhone, of Pennsylvania, prior items of an account no more offered the following resolution, which

Resolved, That the National Grange, does sub-silentio approval by a chanassembled in annual session, enters its | cellor of certain charges in a trustee's test against the present policy of American manufacturers in pursuing a quent charges of a similar character free trade policy in the admission of when a new account is presented. raw material and high protection on nanufactures, which strikes directly at American farmers and producers of

The appointment of a committee to attend the coming session of Congress for the purpose of securing legislation in the interest of agriculture was or-

Improvement in the Manufacture of Bessemer Steel. (By telegraph to the Dispatch.) PITTSBURGH, November 20 .- An | the result of that dissatisfaction. From provement has been made on the Besemer steel process at the Edgar Thompon Steel-Works which, it is said, will ave the effect of making Bessemer steel equal in quality to crucible steel. while it will cost only about one-tenth of the price. The change consists in a thorough mixing of Spiegel iron or manganese with molten iron in the ladle so as to uniformly carbonize it. Bessemer steel can be produced at a cost f a cent to a cent and a-half per pound. while that made in the crucibles costs at least eleven cents per pound.

[Hy telegraph to the Dispatch.] READING, PA., November 20 .- A: old well, which had been abandoned many years, was opened recently on the county, to furnish water for an engine Miss Annie Poole, Frank Townsend, Edward MacKay, and others drank of the water and became terribly ill. Miss Poole and Townsend died yesterday. MacKay and the others are slightly bet ter. It is believed the water was impregnated with deadly mineral poison

Three Men Drowned.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]
BALTIMORE, November 20.—Cap tain John Abbott, Robert Treanor, mate, and Patrick Tally, hand, were drowned vesterday afternoon near the mouth of the Patapsco river, as alleged, by falling from the deck of the schoon er John Nichols. They are said to have all fallen together and all sank at the same time. The vessel returned to port, and the police have begun an investigation.

A Week's Business Failures. [By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

NEW YORK, November 20 .- The business failures occurring throughout the country in the last week number for the United States 212; Canada, 28total, 240, against 223 last week, and 179 the week previous. The increase observable in the last two weeks arises principally in the western and Pacific

Spit for Bamages Against a Railroad

BALTIMORE, November 20 .- Suit was brought against the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company by William B. Chew, who lays his damages at \$25,000. Chew was formerly a conductor on the tacks recently made on the Chines road, and was arrested and tried for embezzling \$15, and acquitted. The residents of that locality. suit is for false arrest and malicious

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] MONTREAL. November 20.-Official returns at the health office show that ley and Carsley & Co. for \$50,000 eleven deaths from small-pox' occurred street Mercantile Agency was decided by Hon, Justice Loringer to-day in fa-

THE NATIONAL CAPITAL. A COURT'S ILLEGAL ACTION.

drawn from the rule expressio verius est

exclusio alterius precludes also the al-

clerk of the court, \$2,500; four assist-

one of these appointments is there any

authority of law, and the fact that Con-

gress refused to give the court power to

intention to entrust the court with the

Referring to the reason given by the

learned president of the court for the

extraordinary appointments and allow-

ances that such action was necessary

for the proper management of the busi-

ness before the court, the solicitor says

the alleged inadequacy of the machinery

provided by Congress was known to the court immediately after its ap-pointment in 1874, and that,

under the circumstances, the proper

course was to apply to Con-gress for relief. The Supreme Court

of the United States, Wharton says, is

at least as crowded with important

business as is the Court of Commis-sioners of Alabama Claims, and is

content with an allowance for expenses

far less than that which the commis

Congress to afford the relief it asks.

In considering the reply that in the

construction of the statute the practic

tion, Wharton says ; "Our books teem

with cases in which public officers hav

scended the limits imposed upon then

claimed to expand the limits of the

the subsequent reestablishment of the

in reply is that of res adjudicata. It is

bars discussion of subsequent items of

the same class by his successors than

Rules.
[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

WASHINGTON, November 20 .-

Speaker Carlisle said to a Republican

probable that the rules will be changed.

think there ever was any such

feeling. The complaint is that the handling of all the appropria-

tion bills is too much work for the

Appropriations Committee. A change

could, of course, facilitate legislation.

Mr. Carlisle said he favored the distri

bution of the bills to the proper com-

mittees, excepting the sundry civil,

legislative, and general deficiency bills

as these really belong to no other com

mittee. He said he believed that the

Presidential Appointments.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

North Carolina, at Montevideo, Ura-

guay; William H. McArdle, of Missis

the United States), at Iquique, Chili;

Fourth-class postmasters-R. P. Searson, at Allendale, S. C.; Thomas

Speaker Carlisle Retter.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]
WASHINGTON, November 20.—

Speaker Carlisle's condition is very

much improved. He was able to leave

By telegraph to the Dispatch.

A Judgment Against Bradstreet's

Agency.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

MONTREAL, November 20 .- The ac

tion instituted by the firms of S. Cars-

damages respectively against the Brac

Smyrna, Turkey.

braltar.

L. Goodwin, at Roe, N. C.

at San Juan del Norte, Nicara

Joseph W. Merrian (a citizen of

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 20.

not originate with Springer.

cisions.

The remaining point taken up

sioners have claimed, but, so far from

appointment of a series of clerks.

Alabama Claims.

other cities, after Mr. Carsley's name the words "Call at office." This Cars-ley considered conveyed the idea that this information contained something disparaging to the credit of his firm. A Scathing Opinion Regarding the Ex-A number of persons called at Bradpenses of the Court of Commissioners of streets' and were informed that the firms of S. Carsley and Carsley & Co. [By telegraph to the Dispatch.] owed \$300,000 to English creditors, and had asked an extension of WASHINGTON, November 20.—Attime. As the firm of Carsley tary Bayard some weeks ago referred Co. owed only \$150,000, and the firm of S. Carsley owed nothing, the question of the legality of the expenses of the Court of Commissioners actions were taken against the Brad of the Alabama Claims, having signified street company for damages. Judge his concurrence in the opinions Loringer in his judgment said : "The Solicitor of the State Department, Fran-Bradstreet company claim that their cis Wharton, the publication of Wharcommunications are privileged. This ton's opinion is authorized by the State may be so between subscribers and the company, but is not so as regards third length, and deals exhaustively with the parties, and will not, under the cirpoints raised in defence of the action of umstances, be considered, as such comthe court. In effect it holds that the sany showed a great lack of prudenc appointment of what are known as adin conveying their information, and must submit to the law." Judgment seventeen in number-was illegal, was given for \$2,000 and costs in each and the expenditures on their accase. count without warrant in law. As to Government experts and extra RIEL'S FATE. clerks. Wharton says, the argument

which is circulated in Montreal and

Steetings at Various Points in Canada Expressing Public Feeling.

lowance of their salaries. The impor-[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] tance of this question, he says, is shown by the fact that among the ex-SHERBROOKE, QUEBEC, November 20 .- The upholders of the Government penses of the commission are included gathered in groups last night for the the salary of an expert in insurance, urpose of preventing any attempts that \$4,000; three assistant experts, one at \$2,000 and two at \$1,800; one clerk to ight be made to burn effigies. parties were out in strong force. the insurance, experts, \$1,400; deputy Speeches were made on both sides, for and against Riel and the action of the ants to the clerk at from \$1,000 to Government, amid much excitement \$1,200, together with the judges' clerks Two anti-Government men were seri and several clerks to counsel. For no ously injured, the head of one being split open.

MONTREAL, November 20 .- At the Riel meeting on the Champ de Mars last night Chairman M. O. David, after appoint the single clerk the statute au-thorizes excludes the possibility of an condemning the Government for Riel's execution, asked the audience to swear over the body of Riel to two things: First, pever to forgive those who were responsible for Riel's death; and second, to adopt his chil

dren as those of the nation.

Hon. R. Mercier protested solemnly against the fate of Riel, and called on the people to turn out the three cowards in the Cabinet. George Duhamel Conservative, said that Riel was a sublime fool, and would soon have been forgotten if incarcerated in a peniten tiary or a lunatic asylum. Instead of that he had descended to the grave, or rather had mounted the pedestal of im mortality. Cowards at Ottawa had in tended to cover him with shame, bu instead of that they had crowned him with glory. But perhaps the time would come when the ministers would be covered with shame and justice would be done.

attempting to enlarge its statutory machivery, that august tribunal has palion. Mr. Laflamme said he had tiently waited from year to year for hoped the three French Ministers would e impelled by fear to interfere to prevent the execution of Riel; but no. after giving the most solemn promise of the departments entrusted with its Riel had been hanged. He hoped this execution is to be taken into consideraspirit of senility would be banished. Canada had enough misfortunes with out creating new ones at every step. He hoped the people would be able to been held responsible for having trandiscern the good from the bad. The ext elections would tell. Other genlemen spoke in a similar strain.

MONTREAL, November 20,-Meetngs continue to be held here to destatutes he transgressed. Nor can nounce the execution of Riel. A solemn mass of requiem for Riel was celebrated to-day. Other and similar masses will follow here and elsewhere. court be any more regarded as a ratification by Congress of the prior action of the Court than could the

reflection of a judge be regarded as ratifying all his prior erroneous de-The Miners' Amatgamated Associa

By telegraph to the Dispatch.]
POTTSVILLE, PA., November 20.— The precise attitude of the Miners' Amalgamated Association with reference to the strike is indicated by the following resolution, unanimously adopted by the convention held here yesterday :

Resolved, That the grievance comaccount bar an investigation of subsenittee visit the Coal Exchange and de mand a guarantee that there will be no further reduction on the so-called \$2.50 basis, and unless this guarantee be given within twenty-four hours the Executive Board of this Association shall declare a strike, to take place on Wednesday, November 25th.

reporter to-night, in speaking of the Aid Solicited from Philadelphia. plan preposed by Springer to change the rules of the House, that the plan did [By telegraph to the Dispatch.] PHILADELPHIA, November 20.— Hon. Thomas W. Ochiltree, of Texas, since the Forty-sixth Congress," he appeared before the citizens' relief comsaid, "there has been dissatisfaction at ittee, at the meeting held at the may the present rules, and this movement is or's office this afternoon, in the interest of the sufferers by the disastrous fire what I hear of the strong adherency the plan seems to have, I think it is the city of Galveston. In answer to inquiries, Ochiltree stated that Galveston required outside aid to the ex-He said that the plan to distribute the tent of \$300,000. The number of peoappropriation bills amongst the comple who required assistance, in his mittees is not an attack on Randall any inion, was over 6,000. After some more than on any one else, as the sam dissatisfaction was manifest when His-cock and Atkins were at the head of the discussion the committee directed the mayor to issue an appeal to the citizens for contributions. Appropriations Committee. "It is not the desire," he said, "to take away any of Randall's power, and I don't

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.) ST. LOUIS, November 20 .- As John B. Bowman, one of the most prominent citizens of East St. Louis, Ill. was approaching his home in the outskirts of town to-night he was shot in the back of the head or neck by some unknown person and almost instantly

An Infirmary Partially Burned. (By telegraph to the Dispatch.)

SANDUSKY, OHIO, November 20 .proposed revision would work good re-The county infirmary near this city was partially destroyed by fire to-night. Five women were burned to death, and the superintendent was badly injured and is unconscious and unable to The President made the following apgive any information. There were 98 Consuls-Preston L. Bridgers, of

Aid for the Galveston Sufferers. [By telegraph to the Dispatch.] GALVESTON, November 20.—The elief fund for the benefit of the fire sufferers reached \$98,120 to-night, of which sum the committee has applied \$38,500 among 735 recipients, repre-William C. Emmet, of New York, at senting between 2,500 and 3,000 individuals.

The Hocking-Valley Strikers [By telegraph to the Dispatch.] PITTSBURGH, PA., November 20. ecretary Flannery, of the Miners' As sociation, issued a circular to-day to the railroad miners requesting them not to load cars for the Hocking-Valley coal operators, and thus assist the

strike of the miners in that section. One Hundred and Twenty-Five Or ganists.
[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

WASHINGTON, November 20,-The Department of State has been advised of the reappearance of cholera in Gi-PHILADELPHIA, November 20 .-The steamship Switzerland landed at this port to-day from Antwerp 125 fied District-Attorney White, at Ta-Italian immigrants bound to Chicago. coma, Washington Territory, that he All were supplied with instruments will be given whatever legal assistance common to itinerant street-warblers. he may require in prosecuting the persons arrested for complicity in the at

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] CASA GRANDE, ARIZ., November 20.-The stage bound to this place from Silver-King mine was stopped today by a masked highwayman, who secured two bars of silver bullion worth \$5,000.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] NEW YORK, November 20.—The sale Bradstreets printed in their circular, | total sum realized was about \$8,000.

LATE FOREIGN NEWS.

Victory for the Bulgarians-Enthusiase Aroused by Alexander's Example-The

attack in the direction of Widden.

SEIGE OF WIDDIN RAISED. LONDON, November 20 .- Official admissions from Belgrade show that a panic exists there. The siege of Widdin as been raised, and General Leschjanin, who, with his division, has been carrying on the siege, is now marching to assist King Milan.

MASSING TURKISH TROOPS. SALONICA, November 20 .- Turkish troops and batteries of artillery are continually arriving here, and the authorities are maintaining the greatest secrecy in regard to the numerical secrecy in regard to the numerical strength of the forces, the number of guns, and the eventual movements of the large army being massed in this

War of Cable Rates Impending. [By cable to the Dispatch.]

LONDON, November 20 .- The conference of the managers of the Atlantic cable companies has been abortive. Both sides of the syndicate companies and Commercial Cable Company are defiant, and there are no signs of a possible agreement between the parties. A war of rates is impending.

DUBLIN, November 20 .- A labore named Kelly has sought police protection in this city, alleging that Fenians had threatened him with death unless he their friends for various offences.

Ordered to Leave [By cable to the Dispatch.]
HEUSBURG, PRUSSIA, November 20. German-American, named Thielnan, a locksmith, has been expelled from this place by the authorities. went to America in 1872 and returned to Germany in 1883.

Their Usual Diversion.

telegraph to the Dispatch. LIMA via GALVESTON, November 20 .- An official dispatch from the Prefect of Juaja states that Caceres has been defeated by the First division of the Government forces, who cut off his retreat by Huari-Pampa. Caceres lost heavily in killed and prisoners.

A STARTLING TRAGEDY.

Gottlieb Eisenbaum [Washington Star, 20th.

To-day at 1:45 o'clock Louis Som merfield, a Pole, aged fifty-two years, shot and instantly killed his wife and Gottlieb Eisenbaum at the residence of the latter, 1218 Maryland avenue,

Sommerfield, who was rather roughly dressed, ran down Twelfth street toward the pavy-yard. Mr. James Childs undertook to stop him, when he attempted to kill Childs. Officer Slack then appeared and took him into custody, made no explanation, excepting to say in broken English, that his wife had left him and gone to live at Eisenbaum's, and that she had cheated him out of his money. He had more cartridges in his pocket and also a bottle of whiskey. He was locked up at the Seventh precinct station and the coroner

notified. Eisenbaum had but one arm. H had been employed as a watchman, but for some time had kept a saloon at the place mentioned, which is a one-story building. He was formerly in the army, and lost his arm in the service. Sommerfield is a shoemaker by trade Mrs. Semmerfield, the woman who was killed, was the mother-in-law of

Mr. Child's of the brick-yard, made the arrest and took the pistol from the prisoner.

The house in which the tragedy occurred is situated on the south side of Maryland avenue, and is known as the

"Cottage Restaurant." The inquest will be held at 11 o'clock o-morrow morning.

New York Times. One of the commonest frauds re-

have a scratch chance only. Mr. Law-rence Curran, his owner, was urged to back Sovereign Pat, but declined. "Pontiac is a better horse than mine,

THE EASTERN WAR-CLOUD.

Siege of Widdin Raised. (By cable to the Dispatch.) LONDON, November 20.-Dispatches received here state that the Servians have become dispirited over their recent reverses. The Bulgarians, on the other hand, have been aroused to the highest pitch of enthusiasm by the example of Prince Alexander and the victories gained under his leadership. They have gradually driven back the Servian advance line until the Bulgarians' for-ward line of entrenchments is within a mile of Dragoman village. In fighting yesterday the Servian loss was eight undred killed and wounded. One of Prince Alexander's aids-de-camp was killed during yesterday's engagement. VIENNA, November 20.—The Bul-

garians yesterday repulsed a Servian BELGRADE, November 20 .- A Servian dispatch from Tzaribrod says that the Servian repulse at Slivnitza is attributed to the action of General Jovanovitch, commander of the Danube division, who made several tactical mistakes and failed to execute certain strategic movements. Four divisions of Servians are now concentrated just beyond the Dragoman, and will renew the attack on the Bulgarians defending Slivnitza. General Topalovitch, commanding the right wing of the Servian army, is entrenched within a few hours' march of Sofia

Seeking Police Protection.

shot ex-Crown-Solicitor Bolton, who secured the conviction of so many of

Louis Sommerfield Shoots His Wife and

Sommerfield resides in the rear of Fisenbaum's residence. It appears that about 1:45 o'clock this afternoon he went to Eisenbaum's saloon, and drawing a five-barrelled revolver emptied all the chambers, one of the shot passing through Eisenbaum's heart, while Mrs. Sommerfield was shot in the back. As soon as the shots were fired some of the neighbors rushed in. Mrs. Eisenbaum giving the alarm, and they were both found dead.

Eisenbaum, the man who was killed.

sorted to for the purpose of deceiving the public and the associations is to give the mount on a horse which would naturally and by reason of his known speed win to some jockey like Mc aughlin or Billy Donohue, whose honesty is unquestioned, and whose appearance on a favorite always attracts additional betting. Ofttimes bucket of water or else administered just before the race prevents even so good a jockey as one of these from landing a horse a winner. It is understood, of course, that neithe McLaughlin nor Donohue would lend himself to such a fraud, but the trouble is they never know when they are used for such purposes. Western owners are not the only ones who suffer by the pernicious influence exercised over their employes by outsiders, as several well-known and wealthy eastern devotees of the sport suspect to their sorrow and mortification. It is an open scandal that the first information as to the condition of Mr. Kelso's horses is said to go to a firm of book-makers. curious case occurred recently, which well illustrates the uncertainties of the sport. Pontiac beat handfly a large field of horses the first heat—seven of the late Richard Grant White's li-brary was concluded to-night. The eighths of a mile. The next heat was won by Sovereign Pat, considered to

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NEW YORK, November 20.—There has been a hait to-day in the upward movement of prices on the Stock Excasage, and at times little less activity in declings. At the opening, following a decided advance in London, quotations were generally [62], higher than at the close last evening, with exceptional gains for greater amonts. This display of strength, however, was of short duration, and, accompanied by great activity, the whole list declined to something below the first fagures, with decided weakness in a few stocks. During the remainder of the day the movement of the general list was alternately up and down within a moderate range, but the declines marked little lower figures, the result of which is seen in the closing prices to-night, which are said lower than last evening, with exceptional dec mes of over 1. Missouri, Kanssa and Texas continues to be one of the most complement of the general list and closed 154 higher. Facilic Mail was 35 lower but its friends claim this to be a natural reaction from the general list and closed 154 higher. Facilic Mail was 35 lower but its friends claim this to be a natural reaction from the recent sharp advance. There was a good deal of talk early in the day about the action of the Hallimore and Ohio in not having signed the pooling arrangement, but at the agreement had been signed with certain stupulisted conditions. The arrest is a good deal of sike early in the day about the action of the Sallimore and Ohio in not having signed the pooling arrangement between the trunk-line officials, and whether the compact is to be as nearly iron-clad as has been talked about in the past, many persons claiming that it will amount to nothing more than many agreements that have been made by representatives of the same roads in the past. It has been reported to-day that the Baltimore and Ohio has already secured control of the Staten Island Rapid Transit Company's property on Staten Island, which is proposes to use in effecting a New York connection. Trunk-line securit and I know it," was his reply. But Sovereign Pat, without a dollar of his owner's money, "got there all the same," and numerous of the "talent' afterward called it one of the finest scoops of the season.

To relieve the turf from evils such as these is greatly desired by owners. The plan proposed in the West has thus far been kept a secret, but a gentleman who is certainly in a position to know says the whole matter was the most important subject under consideration at the American Turf Congress held at St. Louis last week. The best plan offered is to suppress pool-selling except on the grounds where the racing is carried on. It is proposed to do this by making the offence a felony, punishable with both fine and imprisonment in the penitentiary, for any person or persons to sell pools on out-of-town races. The first move will be made in Kentucky, where the Louisville, Latonia, and Lexington Clubs, in united action, and with the support of breeders of fine horses, propose to present to the Legislature in January next a bill comprehending in its provisions the points indicated. Colonel John M. Barbour, one of the governors of the Louisville Association, is authority for the state-ment that such action is contemplated and will assuredly be taken. The constant buying of pools is thought to hurt the attendance at the track, espe-

BALTIMORE.

RICHMOND STOCK EXCHANGE.

6's (B, B.) at 108, STATE SECURITIES.

CITY BONDS.

Virginia 10-40's.
Virginia new 3's.
Va. con. tax-rec. coup., '82.
Va. con. tax-rec. coup., '88.
North Carolina 4's.
North Carolina 6's.

RAILROAD STOCKS. Par.

OFFERINGS.

SALES REPORTED TO SECRETARY.

RYE.—8 bushels prime at 80c. PEAS.—14 bushels blackeye at \$1.15.

COTTON REPORT.

RECEIPTS At Roanoke warehouse, ! I bales, Market firm, with good demand, quorations.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO.

Low Middling, -8%c, STRICT Low Middling, -8% to 9c,

MIDDLING,-9 c, STRICT MIDDLING,-9 c. GOOD MIDDLING,-9 c.

INSURANCE COMPANIES,

Va. Fire and Marine ...

mheis. OATS.—2 442 bushels. RYE.—8 bushels. MEAL.—400 bushels. PEAS.—14 bushels.

BANKS.

poorer followers are "broke" before they occur. As an illustration of how local influences can be operated to the detriment of a visitor, as was the case with Bonanza, a most important one occurred some time ago in the West. The Dwyer brothers went to Louisville with Runnymede confident that he could win the Derby, a very rich stake. The public agreed with them, and Runnynede was made a tremendous favorite. "If Runnymede wins the pool-box is busted," said Dick Watts, who controls the books at Louisville, "but if Apollo wins I'm a rich man." Apollo

cially of fall meetings, as nearly all the

LATE WEATHER REPORT.

...118% [By telegraph to the Dispatch.] RAILEGAD BONDS. WASHINGTON, November 21-1 A. M .- For the Middle Atlantic States. fair weather in the southern portion, increasing cloudiness and local rains in the northern portion, variable winds, generally southwesterly.

erally fair weather, winds becoming variable, slightly warmer, For Richmond and vicinity, warmer, R. F. and P. common.........100 R. F. and P. dividend scrip...100 fair weather.

For the South Atlantic States, gen-

The Weather in Richmond Yesterday was clear and cool. Range of Thermometer Yesterday. 3 P. M.

> 'A Brave Woman.'

Last night the audience at the Theatre, though not so numerous as the night before, was an appreciative one, and en-tered fully into the interest of the play of "A Brave Woman." The story is one that increases in interest as the play pro-ceeds. At first it did not seem to create the interest it deserved, but as it proceeded the audience waked up to its merits and thoroughly enjoyed it to the end. The devotion of the wife, the innocence and training of the child by its mother, added to the interest of the piece, for it is their devotion and love that triumph over the troubles and

toils that beset them. Mr. Hardie, as Ivic Everleigh, thohly realized the character, making it a moral example of courage and honesty of purpose. Miss Von Leer, as the young, faithful, and devoted wife, Lilian Bell, was very interesting, and carried with her the sympathies of the entire house. The storm scene in the fourth act was something quite novel. Lilian, alone in her boat, in full sail, tacks and retacks over the stormy sea, apparently having perfect control

of her boat and steering it at will. The matinee this afternoon will be fully attended by ladies, as to them it more especially interesting, and tonight the house will be crowded, as it s a play of excitement.

NATURALISTS FOR HUNDREDS OF YEARS WERE OF THE OPINION THAT THERE WERE NO

HARVESTING ANTS. BUT RECENT DISCOVERIES PROVE THAT THE BIBLE AND PLINY WERE CORRECT IN THEIR ESTIMATES OF

MAY BE COLD OR IT MAY NOT BE, BUT WHETHER COLD OR NOT, IT WILL BE A FITTING OCCASION TO SHOW YOUR SOLICITUDE FOR THE WELFARE AND COMFORT OF YOUR OFFSPRING BY THE IMMENSE PROVISION WE HAVE

MADE FOR BOYS AND CHILDREN N THE SHAPE OF SUITS, OVERCOATS, JACKETS, HATS, CAPS, UNDERCLOTH-RYTHING OF THIS SORT, AND CAN UNDOUBTEDLY SUPPLY YOU WITH GARMENTS AT LOWER FIGURES THAN ANY OTHER HOUSE.

A. SAKS & CO... THE MALE OUTFITTERS, 1013 MAIN STREET.

OPPOSITE THE POST-OFFICE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC, Nov. 21, 1885 7:01 HIGH TIDE: 4:51 Morning 3:22 8. 5:40 Evening 3:28 FORT OF RICHMOND, Nov. 20, 1885.

SAILED.

Steamer Wyanoke, Hulphers, New York, merchandise and passengers, George W. Allen & Co., agents.

Steamer Pioneer, Platt, Philadelphia, merchandise and passengers, J. W. McCarrick, agent. rick agent.
Steamer Ariel, Gifford, Norfolk, United
States mail, merchandise, and passengers,
L. B. Tatum, agent.
Schooner A. F. Kindberg, Mount, Bayonne, pig-iron and staves; vessel, Curtis &
Parker

PORT OF NEWPORT'S NEWS, Nov. 20 Steamship Editor (Br.), Chandler, Galves

CINCINNATI.

CIRCINNATI, November 20.—Flour weaker; family, \$4.20; fancy, \$4.50a\$4.73.
Wheat strong; No. 2 red. 95a97c. Corn
firm; No. 2 mixed, 47c. Cats strong; No. 2
mixed, 30c. Fork easier at \$9.75. Lard
stronger at \$6.23. Bulk-meats dull; short
rib. \$5. Bason pominally unchanged.
Whiskey steady at \$1.09. Sugar firm and
unchanged. Hogs steady; common and
light. \$2.90a\$3.05; packing and butchers',
\$3.60a\$3.8c.

LOUISVILLE. Steamship Seneca, Walker, New York, and sailed for West Point. Kanawha, Greenwood, New Steamship Alleghany, Taylor, Providence, and sailed for West Point Schooner Wild Pigeon, Payne, Fall River. SALED, Schooners Lavinia Campbell, Vail, Bos-ton; E. E. Birdsall, Rulon, New York, both with coal, Chesapeake and Ohio railway.

AND JOB PRINTING

CINCINNATL.

stroutden, 94. Pork-Seen, 80.50, H

November 20 pent dull; elosin o 2, cash, 92340 changed. Wheat dull; closing us/cc, below yeaterday; No. 2. cash, 92%cc. November, 953/a56/c.; December, 95396/cc. Corrlower and week; No. 2 mixed. cash, 35%dec.; November, 37%a56c. Oats lower and slow; No. 2 mixed. cash. 26%c. for regular. Whisker steady at \$1.10. Provisions quiet and weaker.

MILWAUKEE.

MILWAUERE, November 20.—Flour un-changed. Wheat strong; cash, 89 (c.; 18-cember, 89/cc, Corn steady; No. 2, 48-Cats dult; No. 2, 28/cc. Provisions easier, Mess-pork-Cash, old, \$9.05; new \$10.05. Prime steam lard, cash or December, \$6.35; Jamary, \$6.50.

WILMINGTON. WILMINGTON, N. C., November 20, Tar-pentine firm at 345c. Reain firm; strained, 80c.; good strained, 80c. Tar firm at \$1.10. Crude intrentinesteady; hard, \$1; yellow-dip and virgin, \$1.50.

NEW YORK COTTON FUTURES. NEW YORK COTTON FOTOMERS.
NEW YORK NOVember 20, Cotton-Net
receipts, 305 bales; gross receipts, 9.137
bales. Futures closed firm: sales, 65.000
bales; November; 59,37a38.39; December,
20,41a59,42; January 59,52a59.53; Februa79, 59,45a89.65; March, 59,76; Apri,
59,57a39.56; May, 50,98a59.99; June,
510,69a510.10; July, 510,18a510.19; August 10,285510.27.

NORFOLK PEANUT MARKET. [Reported for the Dispatch.] Nourous, November 20.—Strictly prime, (3a3):c. fancy. Sig.; shelled, 3'444.; sew. 2'4a3bc. Market steady. Purchases t the Norfolk storage warehouse. 2,000 sags; at Walter's factory, 1,200 bags.

Susanna Porter was a great beauty. and much celebrated in her day. Her person was small and of perfect symmetry. Her face was distinguished as much for i s great intelligence and ani-mation as for her fine features and complexion. Her high and polished forehead, her acquiline nose, her bright and beautiful black eyes, her small and lovely mouth had BALTIMORE, November 20.—Virginia 6's, sast-due coupons, 59%; new 8's, 59%. Bid each its peculiar charm; and if all the witcheries of love were not employed by her, it was not because FRIDAY, November 20, 1885. SALES-FIRST BOARD, -2 shares Virginia they were not within her control. She Fire and Marine Insurance Company at was the belle of her time, and some of SECOND BOARD,-10,400 Richmond city the richest and most reputable men of the neighboring towns were suitors for her hand, when she gave her heart to a gay young collegian whom her charms had attracted to her side, and who, 45 with as fine a physique and handsome a face, and with a spirit as noble and a humor more keen, had easily sup-planted his older and more wealthy

His name was Aaron Cleveland, He was a man of fine understanding and great wit, and, what is better, of pure morals and benevolent disposition. I am sorry to add that he was not celebrated for his prudence, at least in his youthful days, and no one will dispute the point when informed that he married for love, without any means of supporting his wife as soon as he left ollege. After completing the necessary studies preparatory to entering the ministry, he had a call to settle in the small town of Haddam, Conn., and thither he went with his beau-tiful little wife and two children, who were already added to bis family. This must have been a great trial to the lady unless the .100 95 .100 115 118 sweets of love overpowered all painful emotions, for she was the darling of her family, as well as of all her acquaintances, and had been accustomed all her life to ease and luxury. Her father, though not very opulent, .. 25 33% 345 in high style for that day, and Misa Susy was denied nothing which her fancy suggested. From this state, GRAIN AND COTTON EXCHANGE. RICHMOND, November 20, 1885. from her father's house, richly fur-WHEAT,-White, 14 bushels, Mixed, 150 bushels, Red, 280 bushels, Total nished, in Malden, with servants and carriages at her command, and the fat of only one domestic to the obscure coun-try town of Haddam, where the people of the little parish had never seen any table furniture better than woodenware, where a piece of silk had never found its way, and where the customs and manners were consonant to their old) at 52c; 406 bushels very good Vir-inia (new) at 50 to 51c. OATS.—Winter, 42 bushels very good Vir-laia at 55c. poverty. The minister and his wife travelled on horseback, for no wheeled vehicle had ever penetrated so far into the wilderness. The people had erected a new house for their pastor's reception, and they conducted the clergyman and his family to it and helped to ar-\$\$a\$3.50; extra, \$3.75a\$4; mmily, \$4a \$4.76; patent family, country, \$5.50a\$5.75. range the furniture, which had been sent up during the previous winter on sledges. Some of the men went home to their impatient wives with wonderful stories of the magnificent things they had seen. "Why, madam has a silk gown and petticoat," they said, "and they are so rich that they eat off pewter dishes." But I don't know what Madam will do," said one man in despondent tones, NEW YORK, November 20.—Cotton steady: sales, 252 bales; uplands, 9.7-16c.; Orienna bl.c.; consolidated net receipts, 45,345 tales; exports—to Great Britain, 23,865 tales; to the Continent, 11,576 bales. Southern flour firm, wheat—Spot lower and dull; red southern, 254,364 tales, 10,576 tales, 10 for I'm sure she can never work. Why, her hands are so white, and she is pretty and little and slender. She is just fit to sit up on top of the cupboard along with the cups and saucers to be looked at." In such society and under such circumstances the trial must have been a severe one. It is no small proof of Christian patience and benevolence that they remained in this place for six or seven years. At the end of this term Mr. Cleveland asked a dismission from his church, and urged as a plea that his salary was insufficient to maintain his family, now enlarged to the number of six children, and that his wife was too discontented to allow him to remain there. He returned to Malden, BALTIMORE,
BALTIMORE, November 20.—Flour steady and quiet; Howard street and western superfine, \$3x83.55; extra, \$3.50a\$4.15; family, \$4.40a\$5; City-Mills superfine, \$3a.53; extra, \$3.00a\$4.15. Wheat—Southern steady and firm, light supply; western lower and dni; southern red, \$2aa\$6,; amber, \$98.a\$1.02; No. 2 western winter red, \$50.45; Corn—Southern steady; western lower, closing dull; southern white, 48a51c.; yellow, new, 47a49c.; western mixed, 49;c, bid for new, Oats higher and firm; southern and Pennsylvania, 53a37c.; western white, 34a37c. Provisions quiet, Mess-pork, \$10.00. Bulk-meats—Shoulders and clearrib sides, gacked, \$4,75 and \$6,25. Eacon—Floudders, \$5.25; clearrib sides, \$7.50. Petroleum steady; refined, \$8.25a\$8.37;c. Coffee dull; Rio cargoes, ordinary to fair, \$7.67;4a\$8.67\$, Sugarfirm; A soft, 65,a7c. Whiskey steady at \$1.19a\$1.20. Freights dull. Mass., where his wife's father lived, and the minister of that place dying soon after, he was installed over the church. After a time, however, he left Malden and removed to Halifax, Nova Scotia. This was owing to a change in his views, for at Halifax he professed the faith of the Church of England, and there being at that time no bishop in America, he went to England to take orders. His wife and nine children returned once more to the parental roof. In England he formed friendships and found relatives—among the latter a Sir John Cleveland, an officer of the Government in the Naval Department, who was very attentive and CHICAGO, November 20.—Flour unchanged. Wheat quiet, averaged lower; November, 88½,88½,c.; Recember, 88½,89½,c.; Recember, 88½,89½,c.; Rozed, 93c. Corn quiet and rather steady; cash, 44½,c.; November, 33½,34c.; all year, 42½,242½,c.; January, 83½,25½,c. Oats ensier; cash, 25c.; November, 28½,242½,c.; Messpork active and irregular; cash, \$0.05a; 19.10; Recember, 59,25,974; January, 19.95a\$10,12½, Lard quiet and easier; cash and Recember, 38,2638,23½, January, 19.25a\$4,323,35,35; abort rib, 74,55a\$4,95; clear, 55,20a\$5,35. Whister, 47 at \$1.16. Sugars unchanged.

REV-TEW OF THE CHICAGO MARKET, 8 kind to him. Mr. Cleveland was an in-mate of his house until he embarked on his homeward voyage. He received a promise from his new-found relative to educate and provide for his two eldest sons if they were sent to England. When Mr. Cleveland arrived in Philadelphia he went to the house of Dr. Benjamin Franklin, whose friendshi and respect he enjoyed. This, in itself, is no trifling evidence of his merit and ability. While there, and making preparations to take charge of a parish in New Castle, Pa BENTEW OF THE CHICAGO MARKET, THE CHICAGO, November 20.—The wheat market was rath, Theavy and hesitating today, selling off "harply at the opening, but developing more strength toward the close of trading in the after 100th, closing \$\frac{1}{2}\$c. under the latest figures, "esterday. Foreign news was watched closely, but the fact that consuls were steady tended to make a weak feeling. The market opened \$\frac{1}{2}\$\frac{1}{2}\$c. lower, influenced by less warlike news and some disposition to realize, railied \$\frac{1}{2}\$c, soid off sgain on ramored peace news, adva "ced \$\frac{1}{2}\$c, closing on the regular Board easy and \$\frac{1}{2}\$c, closing on the regular Board easy and \$\frac{1}{2}\$c, including the continue moderate. The corn market was quiet and rather steady. Fluctuation slight and rather firm for near deliveries, but easy for deferred futures. The range of fluctuation was narrow. Receipts show a moderate increase. Oats were caster and the speculation market \$\frac{1}{2}\$c, lower. There was active trading in pork, prices showing an early decline of \$476\$c, followed by an additional reduction of 15c, but prices railied 10a12c, later, and closed strady, Lard declined 7\frac{1}{2}\$c, active clinical and closed strady. Lard declined 7\frac{1}{2}\$c, and closed steady. n New Castle, Pa., to which he been appointed, he was attacked with a fever, of which he died, at the age of thirty-six years. His widow, with her ten children (the last of whom had been born since the departure of her husband), was now residing with her relatives in Salem. Her uncle-Samuel Sewall—was warmly attached to her, and assisted her with advice and means of procuring her living by her own industry. So wisely did she manage that she brought up her large family respectably and preserved her own standing in society, always asso-ciating with the best people and re-ceiving at her house the learned, the witty, and the celebrated of her day.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]
WASHINGTON, November 20.—The

Coast Survey reports great earthquake waves on the Pacific coast at San Fran cisco as indicated on the coast-survey tide-gauge. These earthquake waves were noticed yesterday afternoon be-tween 1 and 8 o'clock. They were thirty-five minutes apart, and were great as those observed during t great upheaval in Java some years a